

## **SCCTP Needs Assessment Advanced Serials Cataloging Workshop**

Please answer the following questions to help the instructors determine areas to stress in this Workshop. Return your completed Needs Assessment to the sponsor of your Workshop as instructed.

1. What type of institution do you work in? (Please check all that apply.)

- 1.1. ☐ National library
- 1.2. ☐ Large academic/Research
- 1.3. ☐ Small academic/Community college
- 1.4. ☐ Special library (e.g., law, theology, art, hospital, museum, etc.)
- 1.5. ☐ Public library
- 1.6. ☐ Corporate/Commercial
- 1.7. ☐ National government (e.g., federal agency, military, etc.)
- 1.8. ☐ State/province or Local government
- 1.9. ☐ School (for ages 5-18)
- 1.10. ☐ Other. Please identify type: \_\_\_\_\_

2. What is your serials cataloging experience?

2.1. ☐ Print or other formats.

Please specify forms: \_\_\_\_\_ and years: \_\_\_\_\_.

3. Which of these tools do you use for serials cataloging? (Please check all that apply.)

- 3.1 ☐ Anglo-American Cataloging Rules
- 3.2 ☐ Library of Congress Rule Interpretations
- 3.3. ☐ CONSER Cataloging Manual
- 3.4. ☐ CONSER Editing Guide
- 3.5. Others: \_\_\_\_\_
- 3.6. ☐ Not applicable (Not currently cataloging)

4. What bibliographic utilities do you use for cataloging copy?

- 4.1. ☐ OCLC
- 4.2. ☐ RLIN
- 4.3. ☐ Other. Please name it: \_\_\_\_\_

5. What local system does your library use, e.g., III, VTLS, SIRSI, etc.? \_\_\_\_\_

6. What areas of this workshop are of greatest interest to you?  
Check those of greatest interest:

- 6.1 ☐ What is a serial?
- 6.2 ☐ Sources and titles
- 6.3 ☐ Numbering and publishing statement
- 6.4 ☐ Main entry and uniform title
- 6.5 ☐ Notes in serial records
- 6.6 ☐ Series
- 6.7 ☐ Major and minor changes
- 6.8 ☐ Linking relationships
- 6.9 ☐ Translations, editions, and versions
- 6.10 ☐ Cumulations, supplements, other related works

7. There may be time during the second day of the workshop to discuss examples or problems from your institution. You would need to bring photocopies of the problem serial, ideally enough copies for the entire class. Will you be bringing problem examples?

8. What other discussion topics would you like to see addressed if time allows?

9. Do you have any other comments about what you hope to learn at this Workshop?  
(Optional)